

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 2622  
Masahiko Yukawa, et al. ) Examiner: Anthony J. Daniels  
Application No. 10/082,836 ) Confirmation No.: 1041  
Filed: February 25, 2002 )  
For: SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE )  
AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME )

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**RESPONSE TO NOVEMBER 7, 2006 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed November 7, 2006. Applicants respectfully request amendment of the application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.

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